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L.A. Bill No. 48 of 1975.

(As passed by the Assembly).

(58 ஆம் பக்கத்தில் இனம் 4 (3)-க்கான அடிக்குறிப்பைக் காண்க)

(As passed by the Assembly.)

A Bill further to amend the Tamil Nadu District Development Councils Act, 1958.

BE it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Tamil Nadu in the Twenty-sixth Year of the Republic of India as follows:—

1. *Short title and commencement.*—(1) This Act may be called the Tamil Nadu District Development Councils (Amendment) Act, 1975.

(2) It shall come into force on such date as the State Government may, by notification, appoint.

2. *Amendment of section 4, Tamil Nadu Act XVIII of* 1958.—In section 4 of the Tamil Nadu District Development Councils Act, 1958 (Tamil Nadu Act XVIII of 1958) (hereinafter referred to as the principal Act),—

(1) in sub-section (1), for clause (*b*), the following clause shall be substituted, namely:—

" (*b*) (i) elected Members of the House of the People and elected Members of the State Legislative Assembly, chosen to represent a constituency which consists of, or comprises, or relates to, the district or any portion thereof or who reside in the district.

(ii) elected Members of the Council of States representing the State of Tamil Nadu and elected Members of the State Legislative Council, and,

(iii) nominated Members of Parliament of this State and of the State Legislature, who have intimated their desire to serve as a Member of the District Development Council under sub-section (3);":

(2) for sub-section (3), the following sub-section shall be substituted, namely:—

"(3) (*a*) (i) No elected Members of the House of the People and no elected Member of the State Legislative Assembly, shall be a member of more than one District Development Council.

(ii) An elected Member of the House of the People or an elected Member of the State Legislative Assembly chosen to represent a constituency which consists of, or compromises, or relates to, a district or any portion thereof other than a district in which he has his residence shall decide as to the District Development Council in which he desires to serve as a Member and intimate his decision to the District Collector concerned in such form and within such period as may be prescribed.

(*b*) (i) No elected Member of the Council of States and no member elected to the State Legislative Council by the Members of the Legislative Assembly shall be a Member of the District Development Councils in more than one district; and such elected Member of the Council of States or of the State Legislative Council, as the case may be, shall decide as to the District Development Councils of any one district in which he desires to serve as a member and intimate his decision to the District Collector concerned in such form and within such period as may be prescribed.

(ii) Any member elected to the State Legislative Council by the electorates mentioned in sub-clause (*a*), (*b*) or (*c*) of clause (3) of Article 171 of the Constitution shall be a member of every District Development Council in the districts comprised in the territorial constituency concerned.

(*c*) No nominated Member of Parliament of this State and no nominated Member of the State Legislature shall be a Member of the District Development Councils of more than one district; and the nominated Member of Parliament of this State or of the State Legislature shall decide as to the District Development Councils of any one district in which he desires to serve as a Member and intimate his decision to the District Collector concerned in such form and within such period as may be prescribed.";

(3) in sub-section (4),—

(i) after the words "Chairman of a municipal council in the district", the words "or Chairman of the Tamil Nadu State Bhoodan Yagna Board or the President of a Town Panchayat or official of any of the authorities referred to in sub section (4-A)" shall be inserted ;

(ii) for the words "District Development Council", the words "District Development Council or District Development Councils" shall be substituted ;

(iii) after the words "Chairman or President" occurring at the end, the words "or official" shall be inserted;

(4) after sub-section (4), the following sub-sections shall be inserted, namely:—

"(4-A) In addition to the members referred in sub-section (1), the Government may, by notification nominate

(i) the Chairman of the Tamil Nadu State Bhoodan Yagna Board constituted under section 3 of the Tamil Nadu Bhoodan Yagna Act, 1958 (Tamil Nadu Act XV of 1958),

(ii) any official of the Tamil Nadu Electricity Board, Tamil Nadu Water-Supply and Drainage Board or any other Board or Committee constituted under any law for the time being in force, as a member of one or more District Development Councils as may be specified in such notification.

(4-B) In addition to the members referred to in sub-sections (1) and (4-A), the Collector shall by notification nominate before the commencement of each year a President of a Town Panchayat in the district by rotation, as a member of the District Development Council and the member so nominated shall enter upon office on the commencement of the year.".